

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicant(s) : MARQUANT, Michael et al.
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114
AND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed 21 December 2007. A request for three-month extension of time is enclosed herewith, together with the requisite fee, making the response due 21 June 2008. The RCE filing fee is also submitted herewith pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e). Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, beginning on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Claims; and
- Remarks.